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Subject: Follow up on South Fork

Hi Chris,

I would like to follow up with you on whether NY has an interest to be the COA for the South Fork project. Per our phone conversation on 8/14, since the cables of the South Fork project will reach part of Long Island, NY may request to be designated the corresponding onshore area for this project. The regulations of the state designated as the COA would be applied in the review and issuance of the OCS permit to South Fork. If the state hasn't received delegation of the OCS program, the corresponding EPA regional office would issue the OCS permit. The Part 55 regulations require a demonstration to be submit with a request for such a designation. Therefore, if NY would like to pursue this, the request needs to include a demonstration that:

- 1) NY has more stringent requirements than MA;
- 2) emissions from the project would be transported to NY; and
- 3) the emissions affect NY's ability to attain or maintain a federal or state air quality standard or to comply with PSD

If you have any questions about the demonstration, please contact Viorica Petriman at (212) 637-4021 or petriman.viorica@epa.gov.

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